Program Change Request

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Viewing: **BA-USLA-RPC* : University Studies - BA, Religious Thought, Practices and Cultures Concentration**

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Changes proposed by: bdoucet

Catalog Pages Using this Program

**University Studies - BA, Religious Thought, Practices and Cultures Concentration**

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Academic level       Undergraduate
Effective Term   2018-2019
Department     College of Liberal Arts
College          Liberal Arts
Program type      Degree w/Concentration
Degree designation BA - Bachelor of Arts
With a major in University Studies - USLA (USLA)
With a concentration in Rels Thght Pract Cultre - USLA (RPC*)

Catalog Program Title
University Studies - BA, Religious Thought, Practices and Cultures Concentration

CIP and Fund code 30999931

Rationale for Proposal

Program hours 120
Is this program eligible for financial aid? No
Will program hours change (increase/decrease) due to the proposed curriculum changes? No
Program delivery mode On-campus

Catalog Program Requirements

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Code | Title | Semester Credit Hours
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RELS 480/COMM 480 | Religious Communication | 3
RELS 491 | Research | 3

Select from the following:

**ARCH 438**  
History and Design of Sacred Architecture

**COMM 257**  
Communication, Religion and the Arts

**PHIL 411**  
Medieval Philosophy

**RELS 211/HUMA 211**  
Hebrew Scriptures

**RELS 213/HUMA 213**  
New Testament

**RELS 220**  
History of Christianity: Origins to the Reformation

**RELS 221/HIST 221**  
History of Islam

**RELS 251/CLAS 251**  
Classical Mythology

**RELS 302**  
Women and Religion

**RELS 303/HUMA 303**  
Near Eastern Religions

**RELS 306/HUMA 304**  
Indian and Oriental Religions

**RELS 317**  
Contemplation in the Modern World

**RELS 317/ANTH 317**  
Introduction to Biblical Archaeology

**RELS 321**  
Political Islam and Jihad

**RELS 326/SOCI 326**  
Sociology of Religion

**RELS 331/PHIL 331**  
Philosophy of Religion

**RELS 340/ANTH 340**  
Folklore and the Supernatural

**RELS 347/HIST 347**  
Rise of Islam, 600-1258

**RELS 360/ENGL 360**  
The Bible as Literature

**RELS 365/HIST 365**  
History of Religion in America to 1860

**RELS 366/HIST 366**  
History of Religion in America from 1860 to the Present

**RELS 392/ENGL 392**  
Studies in Literature, Religion, and Culture

**RELS 403/ANTH 403**  
Anthropology of Religion

**RELS 418**  
European Intellectual History from Ancient Greece to the Early Middle Ages

**RELS 419/HIST 419**  
European Intellectual History from the High Middle Ages to the 17th Century

**RELS 436/ANTH 436**  
Ancient Egypt

**RELS 464/PHIL 464**  
Modern Jewish Thought and Philosophy

**RELS 471/HISP 471**  
Hispanic Religions

**RELS 474/HISP 474**  
Diversity Lessons from Medieval Spain

University and College Requirements

**ENGL 104**  
Composition and Rhetoric  
Communication  
Literature Requirement 1  
Life and physical sciences  
Mathematics  
Foreign language 2

**Language, philosophy and culture**

**Creative arts**

**Social and behavioral sciences**

**American history**

**POLS 206**  
American National Government

**POLS 207**  
State and Local Government

**International and cultural diversity**

Minor 1 4

Minor 2 4

Free electives 5 1-4

Total Semester Credit Hours 120

1. To be chosen from the [college approved list](https://nextcatalog.tamu.edu/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/program/...)
2. All 14 hours must be in the same language.
3. No more than one Texas History course can be used to satisfy this requirement.
4. One minor must be chosen from outside of the College of Liberal Arts.
5. Any 100-499 courses not used elsewhere.

Additional information: Addition of two new courses as electives into the USLA Concentration.

Required Proposal Forms: [Updated Degree Eval.pdf](https://nextcatalog.tamu.edu/courseleaf/courseleaf.cgi?page=/programa...)

Reviewer Comments:

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (05/19/17 8:40 am): Rollback: Changes to existing undergraduate program requires an edited degree evaluation that matches catalog to be uploaded.

Angel Mario Carrizales (carri1214) (05/31/17 10:03 am): Concerns address.
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Information for Degree Evaluation

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Print Instructions

Program Evaluation

Limitation Correspondence: No more than 12 hours of correspondence earned through an accredited institution may be used for an undergraduate degree.

Limitation Combination: Maximum combination of 18 hours of 481, 482, 485 and/or 491 courses may be used for an undergraduate degree.

Limitation Mathematics: No more than 3 hours may be used from Math 141 or 166 in this degree plan.

Limitation Mathematics: Only one course may be used from; Math 121, 131, 142, 151 or 171 in this degree plan.

Limitation Only 14 hours of KINE 199; AERS 100-499; MLSC 100-499; NVSC 100-499; Soms 100-499 may be used in this degree program to include hours counted toward Residency.

Program : BA USLA-Rels Thght,Pract,Cult
Catalog Term : Fall 2017 - College Station
Campus : College Station
Evaluation Term : Fall 2017 - College Station
College : Liberal Arts
Expected Graduation Date :
Degree : Bachelor of Arts
Request Number :
Level : Undergraduate
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Majors : University Studies
Minors :
Departments : College of Liberal Arts
Concentrations :

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Other Course Information
Transfer : 0.000 0

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https://compass-ssb.tamu.edu/pls/PROD/bwckcapp.P_VerifyDispEvalViewOption 5/30/2017
No A. ENGL 104 3hrs
Must have a grade of 'C' or better.

No AND B. Communication Rqmt 3hrs
Select from ENGL 203, 210; COMM 203, 205, 243.

No AND C. Literature Requirement 6hrs

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2. 6 hours. Take ARAB 201 and 202. | | | | | | | |
| No  | )OR( B. Chinese 14hrs | 1. 8 hours. Take CHIN 101 and 102.
2. 6 hours. Take CHIN 201 and 202. | | | | | | | |
| No  | )OR( C. French 14hrs | 1. 8 hours. Take FREN 101 and 102.
2. 3 hours. Select from FREN 201 or 221.
3. 3 hours. Select from FREN 202 or 222. | | | | | | | |
| No  | )OR( D. German 14hrs | 1. 8 hours. Take GERM 101 and 102.
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**Area : Language, Philosophy & Culture (3.000 credits) - Not Met**

**Met Condition Rule Subject Attribute Low High Required Term Subject Course Title Attribute Credits Courses**

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**Area : Social and Behavioral Sciences (6.000 credits) - Not Met**

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Select any course with the Social Science attribute [KSOC].

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Area: Citizenship (12.000 credits) - Not Met
Description: Completion of 4 semesters of Upper-Level ROTC may be substituted for 3 hours of American History and 3 hours of Political Science.
Met Condition Rule Subject Attribute Low High Required Term Subject Course Title Attribute Credits Courses
No A. American History Rqmt 6hrs
Select from any course with the [KHIS] attribute.
No AND B. Political Science Rqmt 6hrs
Take POLS 206 and POLS 207.

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Area: General Electives (34.000 credits) - Not Met
Met Condition Rule Subject Attribute Low High Required Term Subject Course Title Attribute Credits Courses
No A. General Electives 34hrs
Includes 30-34 hours of courses that were used to satisfy the two minor requirements and 1-4 hours of 100-499 courses not used elsewhere.

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Area: Work Not Applied - Met
Description: See advisor for acceptable substitutions.
Met Condition Rule Subject Attribute Low High Required Term Subject Course Title Attribute Credits Courses
No A. Courses not applied

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Area: University Studies Minor Rqmt - Not Met
Met Condition Rule Subject Attribute Low High Required Term Subject Course Title Attribute Credits Courses
No A. Required Minor
Two university approved minors are required for this degree program. This area ensures completion of minors and will be removed once an application for degree has been submitted.

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### Area: University Writing Requirement - Not Met

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Two courses required. Only sections of RELS 100-499 courses with the Writing attribute [UWRT] may be used to satisfy this requirement.

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### Area: Int'l & Cult Diversity - Not Met

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Select from courses with the International and Cultural Diversity attribute [UICD] (except sections of BUSN 289 with the UWRT attribute).

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### Area: Foreign Language - Not Met

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Complete one of the following:
1. Two years of the same foreign language in High School.
2. A two semester sequence of the same foreign language for University credit.

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### Area: Residence Requirement (36.000 credits) - Not Met

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No AND B. Residence - 300-499 24hrs

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### Area: GPR-Major - Not Met

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